Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 11 Jun 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 12 Jun 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 10 Jun 2021 at 14:38 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for occasionally cloudy but mainly dry.

Headline for Friday 11 Jun 2021: Mainly dry with brighter spells increasing. Strong summit winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 11 Jun 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
40%	60%	20%	20%	20%	10%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Rather cloudy for much of the night with some patchy rain, mainly focused across southern peaks. Bright and sunny spells increasing through the day, with most avoiding the isolated light showers.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70% increasing 95% plus from early afternoon.

Visibility: Good or very good, lowering moderate or poor in overnight patchy rain and briefly in showers, also very poor in hill fog with bases initially broken from 600-900m becoming well scattered from early afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	41/50 SW	37/45 SW	33/41 SW	35/45 SW	31/41 W	31/41 W	28/37 W	29/37 W	29/38 W
900	28/36 SW	27/35 SW	25/32 SW	28/38 SW	26/36 W	26/36 W	23/33 W	21/29 W	21/30 W
600	19/33 SW	19/32 SW	17/29 SW	22/36 W	21/34 W	21/35 W	19/32 W	16/27 W	16/28 W
300	7/20 SW	9/22 SW	12/25 SW	17/33 SW	16/31 W	17/32 W	15/29 W	10/22 W	10/21 W
Glen	10/21 SW	10/20 SW	10/20 SW	16/30 SW	16/30 W	15/29 W	12/24 W	10/19 W	7/16 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	7/1	6/0	6/0	5/-2	6/0	6/0	4/-2	2/-5	2/-6
900	9/5	8/4	8/4	7/2	8/4	9/4	7/2	4/-1	4/-2
600	12/8	10/7	11/8	10/6	12/8	12/8	10/6	7/3	6/2
300	14/13	13/11	14/12	14/11	15/12	16/12	13/10	10/8	9/6
Glen	15/13	14/12	15/13	15/12	17/13	17/14	15/12	11/9	9/8
Freezing Level*	3000m	2400m	2000m	1900m	1900m	1700m	1500m	1400m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Buffeting at height most widespread early to mid-morning with gusts reaching 50-55mph at times. Strong afternoon sunshine bringing risk of sunburn in exposure.

Forecast for Saturday 12 Jun 2021
Weather: Plentiful sunshine and largely dry by day, however temperatures feeling cooler than off late. Cloud gradually building from the west during the evening to bring the chance of some patchy light rain to the southern and western peaks from midnight.

Maximum wind: West initially mean 25-30mph with gusts reaching 40mph over most exposed ridges and summits, easing a touch from mid-morning.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 95% lowering during evening to 40%.

Visibility: Generally good or very good, lowering moderate or poor briefly in later patchy rain, also very poor in hill fog, chiefly during the evening as bases become broken from 700m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising 19 Celsius during the afternoon
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius rising 7 Celsius from late morning
Freezing level: 1400m rising 2000m

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